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Solid Waste Branch

The purpose of the Solid Waste Branch is stated in a declaration of state policy in the Nevada Revised Statutes: NRS 444.440 Declaration of state policy. It is hereby declared to be the policy of this state to regulate the collection and disposal of solid waste in a manner that will:

1. Protect public health and welfare.
2. Prevent water or air pollution.
3. Prevent the spread of disease and the creation of nuisances.
4. Conserve natural resources.
5. Enhance the beauty and quality of the environment.

In addition to implementing regulations governing the "Collection and Disposal of Solid Waste", as laid out in NRS Chapter 444, the Solid Waste Branch also has responsibilities under Chapter 444A, "Programs for Recycling".



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1. PURPOSE

To establish Privacy Policy guidelines for State of Nevada Web Sites.

2. APPLICABILITY

This document applies to any government entity of the State of Nevada who owns, manages, controls or is in any way responsible for a web site representing their services, functions, and information to the public.

3. DEFINITIONS

Web Site – Public set of documents, called pages, developed using some form of Hyper-Text Markup Language and associated technologies.

Home Page – The first page a user will encounter when visiting a Web Site for the first time through the base URL string.

User – Any person browsing a State of Nevada Web Site or any part thereof.

Silvernet – The verbiage used to describe the Wide Area Network of the State of Nevada.

Link – Also known as Hyper-link. Used to connect one web page to another web page via some form of Hyper-Text Markup Language. Whether graphical or text in nature.

4. AUTHORITY

Departments and Agencies should contact the State Attorney General's office to find out what liabilities exist for violating State and Federal Laws regarding Web Page Content.

5. RESPONSIBILITY

Departments, Agencies, Boards, Commissions, and all other entities of the government of the State of Nevada are held responsible for the information captured from users who browse their

web pages.

The Department of Information Technology of the State of Nevada will strictly abide by the following set of guidelines. Other entities of the State of Nevada should develop their own Privacy Policies using these as a guideline. Those entities who are not able to or choose not to develop their own Privacy Policy should have a link to the State Privacy Policy on each of their pages.

A link to the privacy policy is required on each and every page of a web site which an Agency is capturing statistics, accepting credit cards or other personal information, or incorporates an e-mail or other form where users may submit questions or comments to the Agency.

6. POLICY

The Web Group of the Department of Information Technology (DoIT) maintains the State of Nevada Web site as a public service. The following is the privacy policy for the State of Nevada web sites:

- We do not use cookies to collect information, although we do not prohibit the use of cookies by other Entities of the Government of the State of Nevada.
 - Cookies are simple text files stored by your web browser and they provide a method of distinguishing among visitors to the web sites. Cookies created on your computer by using our web sites do not contain personally identifiable information and do not compromise your privacy or security. The cookie feature is used to store a randomly generated identifying tag on your computer. If you have further questions about cookies, the Computer Incident Advisory Capacity Unit that monitors computer problems for the U.S. Department of Energy issued a study on March 12, 1998, of the risks to users of cookies, titled "[Information Bulletin 1-034: Internet Cookies](#)". You can refuse the cookie or delete the cookie file from your computer at any time by using any one of a number of widely available methods.
 - Specific information regarding cookies must be addressed on the pages that use this information.
 - A cookie file contains unique information a web site can use to track such things as passwords, list of pages you've visited, and the date when you last looked at a specific page or to identify your session at a particular web site. A cookie is often used in commercial sites to identify the items selected for a specific shopping cart application.
- If you send us an electronic mail message with a question or comment that contains personally identifying information, or fill out a form that e-mails us the information, we will only use the personally-identifiable information to respond to your request and analyze trends. We may redirect your message to another government agency or person who is in a better position to answer your question.
- For site management functions, information is collected for analysis and statistical

purposes. This information is not reported or used in any manner that would reveal personally identifiable information, and will not be released to any outside parties unless legally required to do so in connection with law enforcement investigations or other legal proceedings.

- We use log analysis tools to create summary statistics, which are used for purposes such as assessing what information is of most interest, determining technical design specifications, and identifying system performance or problem areas. The following information is collected for this analysis:

User Client Hostname – The hostname (or IP address if DNS is disabled) of the user/client requesting access.

HTTP header, "user-agent" – The user-agent information includes the type of browser, its version, and the operating system it's running on.

HTTP header, "referrer" – The referrer specifies the page from which the client accessed the current page.

System Date – The date and time of the user/client request.

Full Request – The exact request the user/client made.

Status – The status code the server returned to the user/client.

Content Length – The content length, in bytes, of the document sent to the user/client.

Method – The request method used.

Universal Resource Identifier (URI) – The location of a resource on the server.

Query String of the URI – Anything after the question mark in a URI.

Protocol – The transport protocol and version used.

- **Personal Information:**

To protect the information being gathered, this site has security measures in place including firewalls, encryption, and authenticated access to internal databases where needed.

We collect no personal information about you unless you voluntarily participate in an activity that asks for information (i.e. sending an email or participating in a survey). If you choose not to participate in these activities, your choice will in no way effect your ability to use any other feature of the State of Nevada web site.

If personal information is requested on the web site or volunteered by the user, state law and the federal Privacy Act of 1974 may protect it. However, this information is a public record once you provide it, and may be subject to public inspection and copying if not protected by federal or state law.

Users are cautioned that the collection of personal information requested from or volunteered by children on-line or by email will be treated the same as information given by an adult, and may be subject to public access.

Unless otherwise prohibited by state or federal law, rule or regulation, the individual is granted the ability to access and correct personally identifiable information whether or not the information inaccuracy was accidental or by created unauthorized access.

Specific Information regarding encryption, credit card information, social security numbers and cookies will be addressed on the pages that use this information.

- **Retention Information:**

The information collected on this site is retained in accordance with the Record Retention Schedules developed by this office.

- **Security Information:**

The State of Nevada has taken steps to safeguard the submission of information by implementing detailed technology and security policies, which can be viewed at the Department of Information Technology web site. The State of Nevada is committed to data security and the data quality of personally identifiable information that is either available from or collected by governmental web sites, and has taken reasonable precautions to protect personally identifiable information from loss, misuse or alteration. The Department of Information Technology, as developer and manager of the State of Nevada web site, has taken several steps to safeguard the integrity of its telecommunications and computing infrastructure, including but not limited to authentication, monitoring, auditing, and encryption. Security measures have been integrated into the design, implementation and day-to-day practices of the entire DoIT operating environment as part of its continuing commitment to risk management.

- **Password Information:**

In the event you establish a user name and password in order to access any State of Nevada online service, at no time will any representative from the State of Nevada ever contact you and ask you for your password. Under no circumstances should you share your user name and password with any person.

You will be provided with access to your user information and the ability to change your password and user name at any time.

- **Link Disclaimer:**

The State of Nevada provides links to other governmental agencies in the State and the federal government. We also provide links to web sites of other organizations in order to provide visitors with certain information. A link does not constitute an endorsement of content, viewpoint, policies, products or services of that web site. Once you link to another web site not maintained by the State of Nevada, you are subject to the terms and conditions of that web site, including but not limited to its

privacy policy.

- **Information Disclaimer:**

Information provided on the State of Nevada web sites is intended to allow the public immediate access to public information. While all attempts are made to provide accurate, current and reliable information we recognize the possibility of human and/or mechanical error. Therefore, the State of Nevada, its employees, officers, and agencies expressly deny any warranty of the accuracy, reliability or timeliness of any information published by this system and shall not be held liable for any losses caused by reliance upon the accuracy, reliability or timeliness of such information. Any person who relies upon such information obtained from this system does so at his or her own risk.

- **Contact Information:**

If you have any question about this privacy statement, the practices of this site, or your dealings with this web site, please contact us at:

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About Solid Waste

Nevada's waste generation and management infrastructure reflect the character of the State, its geography, climate and economy. Although the population is approximately 2 million, most of the State is very sparsely populated. The two metropolitan areas of Reno and Las Vegas are served by large municipal solid waste landfills (MSWLFs) which, between them, account for about 90% of the solid waste disposed in the State. High per capita disposal rates reflect the daily influx of thousand of tourists. Regionalization has been limited by the great distances between communities. Most of the 17 counties have at least one landfill, the availability of open desert land helping to keep landfill costs low. Since 1994, implementation of federal Subtitle D standards has resulted in the closure of many open dumps in the rural areas, leaving 24 operating MSWLFs in the State. There are several large transfer stations in the urban areas, while the remote areas use smaller waste storage bin facilities. Nevada has no waste incinerators. Approximately 85% of our municipal solid waste is landfilled, and the rest is recycled.

Jurisdictions & Permitting

There are three Solid Waste Management Authorities, each of which administers State solid waste management regulations, including permitting and enforcement, in their areas of jurisdiction: the Clark County Health District, the Washoe County District Health Department and the NDEP. The NDEP has direct jurisdiction over all counties outside of Clark and Washoe and also has limited responsibilities to oversee the Health Districts' solid waste programs. The Solid Waste Branch has a staff of six, two of which are dedicated to waste reduction, reuse and recycling programs.

Permits are required for municipal and industrial solid waste disposal sites. MSWLF regulations follow the federal requirements of 40 CFR Part 258. Permits are also required for incinerators and MSW compost plants. Other solid waste management facilities, such as transfer stations and other processing sites, are subject to a simpler "approval process" before they can be established.

Planning

Each county has a solid waste management plan approved by the Solid Waste Branch, as required by law. There is also a general State plan, and a special waste plan for used tire management. The Solid Waste Branch provides technical assistance to local governments as staff resources permit.

Waste Reduction, Re-use and Recycling

The State legislature has established a 25% recycling rate goal. Minimum recycling services are also in the law. Counties having populations greater than 100,000 must have residential curbside collection service, while those between 25,000 and 100,000 must set up recycling

drop-off centers. The Solid Waste Branch coordinates recycling efforts throughout the State, provides public education and information and provides technical assistance to local government recycling programs. The NDEP also fosters recycling programs through funding assistance to local government entities and non-profit organizations.

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